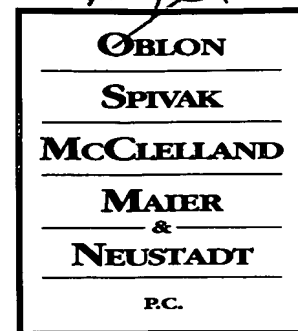




RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 1763



ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Docket No.: 250643US26YA

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

RE: Application Serial No.: 10/813,119
Applicants: David L. O'MEARA, et al.
Filing Date: March 31, 2004
For: WAFER HEATER ASSEMBLY
Group Art Unit: 1763
Examiner: R.K. DHINGRA

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**Request for Reconsideration (After Final)
Request for Extension of Time (1st)**

Our credit card payment form in the amount of \$120.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Steven P. Weihrouch

Registration No. 32,829

Customer Number

22850

(703) 413-3000 (phone)
(703) 413-2220 (fax)

Edwin D. Garlepp
Registration No. 45,330